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United States Environmental Protection Agency  
Remedial Enforcement Support Section  
77 West Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, IL 60604-3590  
Attn: Deena Sheppard-Johnson, SR-6J

RE: The Chemical Recovery Systems Site, Elyria, Ohio

Dear Ms. Sheppard-Johnson:

I have enclosed Nordson Corporation's response to your General Notice of Potential Liability and Request for Information dated March 2, 2001. Please address all future correspondence regarding this request to my attention.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robert E. Veillette".

Robert E. Veillette  
Assistant General Counsel

Enclosures



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Attachment 2  
Nordson Corporation's Answers to Questions

1. Beth Barber, Sr. Facilities Engineer  
Nordson Corporation
2. No other documents were consulted except the "Dirty Inventory" List and Insurance Policy Contracts (copies provided in response to question no. 10)
4. Nordson Corporation's EPA Identification No. is OHD004155006.
5. No acts or omissions of the nature sought to be identified are known to this respondent
6. Respondent is in the process of canvassing present employees who were employed during the time period in question and may have a recollection of activities/transactions with CRS or its predecessors.
7.
  - a) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - b) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - c) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - d) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - e) Nordson has had business relations with a "James Freeman" through a company by the name of "Freeman Environmental Corp." Freeman Environmental Corp. was contracted to perform services related to the removal of an underground storage tank at Nordson's Amherst, Ohio campus in May 1993.
  - f) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - g) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - h) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - i) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - j) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - k) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - l) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - m) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - n) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
  - o) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6
8.
  - b) See answer to question no. 6

9. a-d) See answer to question nos. 5 & 6  
e) From a review of the "Dirty Inventory" List, it appears the Respondent, if the "Dirty Inventory" List is accurate, deposited 224 drums of unclassified "dirty solvent." (Apparently 100, 800 pounds of 50 gallon drums by 9 pound drums)
10. See enclosed copies of available policies
11. See attached documents
12. a) See attached documents  
b) See attached documents  
c) See financial section of Respondent's 2001 Annual Report for current assets and liabilities position.  
d) Nordson Corporation

I certify under penalty of law that these answers and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision. The responses submitted are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting information known to be false including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Submitted by:

Nordson Corporation

By: Robert E. Veillette  
Robert E. Veillette  
Assistant General Counsel

Date: April 19, 2001

SWORN TO BEFORE ME and subscribed in my presence this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of April 2001.

Christine Neiman Reed

CHRISTINE NEIMAN REED  
Notary Public-State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires 3/2/03